

and the item identifier directly from the content access device, and produces therefrom a processed purchase request,

a rendering device, operably coupled to the content access device, that is configured to render the content material;

the input device including a purchase request buffer for storing at least one purchase request and the item identifier to facilitate a purchase of an item corresponding to the item identifier subsequent to the rendering device rendering the content material, and

wherein the content access device is further configured to communicate the processed purchase request to the provider.

Sub 17. (Amended) A portable device comprising:

a broadcast receiver that is configured to receive audio and visual content material simultaneously with an item identifier associated with the content material from a broadcast source,

a rendering device that is configured to render the content material, and a purchase request buffer that is configured to store at least one purchase request and the item identifier to facilitate a purchase of an item corresponding to the item identifier subsequent to the rendering device rendering the content material.